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MOTHER NATURES PRESCHOOL NOVEMBER 2016 NEWSLETTER

FROM THE STAFF OF MOTHER NATURES PRESCHOOL

November Update and Monthly Reminders

Dear Parents,

October was a fast, exciting and busy month. The children had lots of fun discovering the many changes of Fall in the classroom and outside on walks.

November will be an interesting month with different science experiments and centers as well as some field trips to the library and the SPCA.

We will be asking parents to fill out The Nipissing District Developmental Screen checklist. This checklist is a developmental screening tool which provides the childcare staff with a snapshot of your child(s) development and will be used to incorporate different activities into their monthly planning.

We will be starting to work on our reaccreditation process. Accredited programs have completed a rigorous self-evaluation and quality enhancement process, and have been recognized by the Association for Accreditation of Early Learning and Care Services (AELCS) as meeting the accreditation standards of excellence. The first step of this will be sending out parent surveys for feedback from you. We will deep

you updated with this process. If there are any parents who would like to be a part of the reaccreditation process please talk to Sandy or Michelle who are part of the accreditation team.

District #76 has a conference on Nov 18 called "Together We Shine." This conference features guest speaker Dr. Jody Carrington. If you are interested in attending, please stop by the office for more details.

We would like to start doing an email billing system for all the accounts. If you would prefer a paper copy please stop at the office to let Michelle know your preference. Come December all bills will be sent out through emails. Any questions stop at the office.

Fees are due on the 1st of each month. They may be paid via cash, cheque, debit and e-transfer.

REMINDER: Friday November 11 the Preschool will be closed.

Remember to find us on Facebook or our website at www.mothernaturespreschool.ca.



THANK YOU SECTION

A huge special **THANK YOU** to **Shirley Young** for all the delicious baking that she has been providing the preschool with. The children and staff enjoy your yummy goodies. This is greatly appreciated Shirley!

Thank you to all the parents who brought treats and snacks to the Halloween party. They were enjoyed by all. Also, **Thank you** to the families who came out to our pumpkin carving night.

And a huge **Thank you** to all the families who ordered for our Dieleman Fundraiser. It was a great success.